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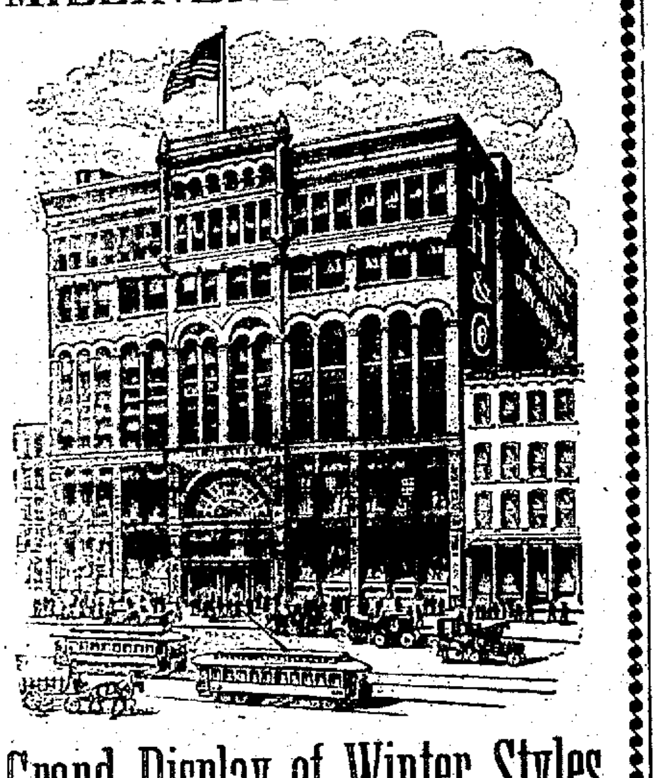

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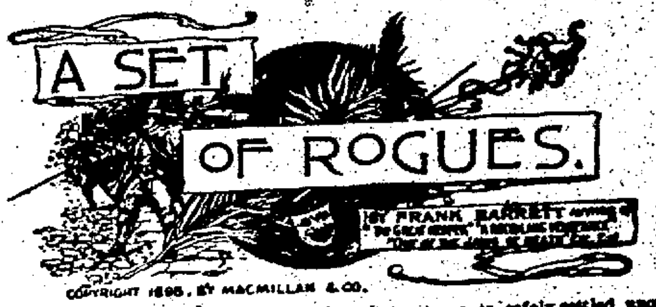

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CHAPTER XV.

The next day comes Simon with a bag of gold, which he tells over with infinite care, groaning and mopping his eyes betwixt each four or five pieces with almost rueful visage, so that it seemed he was weeping over this great expenditure, and then he goes to prepare the court and get servants against Moll's arrival. Then, by the end of the week, being furnished with suitable clothing and equipment, Moll and Don Sanchez leave us, though Dawson was now as hale and hearty as ever he had been, we being persuaded to rest at Chatham yet another week to give countenance to Jack's late distemper and also that we might appear less like a gang of thieves.

Before going Don Sanchez warned us that very likely Simon would pay us a visit suddenly to satisfy any doubts that might yet crop up in his suspicious mind, and so, to be prepared for him, I got in a good store of paper and books such as a merchant might require in seeking to re-establish himself in business, and Dawson held himself in readiness to do his share of this knavish business. Sure enough, about three days after this, the drawer, who had been instructed to admit no one to my chamber without my consent, comes up to say that the little old man in leather, with the weak eyes, would see me, so I bade him in a high voice bid Mr. Simon step up, and setting myself before my table of paper engage in writing a letter (already half writ), while Dawson slips out into the next room. "Take a seat, Mr. Steward," says I when Simon entered, cap in hand, and casting a very prying, curious look around. "I must keep you a minute or two." And so I feign to be mighty busy, and give him scope for observation.

"Well, sir," says I, finishing my letter with a flourish, and setting it aside, "how do you fare?"

He raised his hands and dropped them like so much lead on his knees, casting up his eyes and giving a doleful shake of his head for a reply.

"Nothing is amiss at the court, I pray—your lady, Mistress Godwin, is well?"

"I know not, friend," says he. "She hath taken my keys, denied me entrance to her house, and left me no privilege of my office save the use of the lodge house. Thus am I treated like a faithless servant, after toiling night and day all these years, and for her advantage rather than my own."

"That has to be proved, Mr. Steward," says I severely, "for you must admit that up to this present she has had no reason to love you, seeing that, had her fate been left in your hands, she would now be in Barbary, and like to end her days there. How, then, can she think but that you had some selfish, wicked end in denying her the service we, who are strangers, have rendered her?"

"Thee speakest truth, friend, and yet thee knowest that I observed only the righteous prudence of an honest servant."

"We will say no more on that head, but you may rest assured in my promise, knowing as I do the noble, generous nature of your mistress—that if she has done you wrong in suspecting you of base purpose, she will be the first to admit her fault and offer you reparation."

"I seek no reparation, no reward, nothing in the world but the right to cherish this estate," cries he in passion, and upon my looking at him very curiously, as not understanding the motive of such devotion, he continues: "Thee canst not believe me, and yet truly I am neither a liar nor a madman. What do others toil for? A wife—children—friends—the gratification of ambition or lust. I have no kith or kin, no ambition, no lust, but this estate is wife, child, everything, to me. 'Tis like some work of vanity—a carved image that a man may give his whole life to making, and yet die content if he achieves but some approach to the creation of his soul. I have made this estate out of nothing; it hath grown larger and larger, richer and more rich, in answer to my skill; why should I not love it, and put my whole heart in the accomplishment of my design, with the same devotion that you admire in the maker of graven images?"

Despite his natural infirmities Simon delivered this astonishing rhapsody with a certain sort of vehemence that made it eloquent, and indeed, strange as his passion was, I could not deny that it was as reasonable in its way as any nobler act of self sacrifice.

"I begin to understand you, Mr. Steward," says I.

"Then, good friend, as thee wouldst help the man in peril of being torn from his child, render me this estate to govern—save it from the hands of usurers and lawyers, men of no conscience, to whom this Spanish don would deliver it for the speedy satisfaction of his greed."

"I'm like to be no better till I can get a ship of my own and be to sea again."

"Nay, my claim's as great as his," says I, "and my affairs more pressing," with a glance at my papers. "I am undone, my credit lost, my occupation gone."

"Thee shalt be paid to the last farthing. Examine my books, inquire into the value of my securities, and thee wilt find full assurance."

"Well, one of these days mayhap," says I, as if to put him off.

"Nay, come at once, I implore thee, for until I am justified to my mistress I stand like one betwixt life and death."

"For one thing," says I, still shuffling, "I can do nothing nor you either by the payment of our just claim, before the inheritance is safely settled upon Mistress Godwin."

"That shall be done forthwith. I know the intricacies of the law, and know my way," tapping his head, and then his pocket, "to get a seal, with ten times the dispatch of any attorney. I promise by Saturday thee shalt have assurance to thy utmost requirement. Say, good friend, thee wilt be at my lodge house on that day."

"I'll promise nothing," says I. "Our poor Captain Evans is still a prisoner in his room."

"Aye," says Dawson, coming in from the next room in his nightgown, seeming very feeble and weak despite his blustering voice, "and I'm like to be no better till I can get a ship of my own and be to sea again. Have you brought my money, Mr. Quaker?"

"Thee shalt have it truly; wait but a little while, good friend, a little while."

"Wait a little while and founder altogether, eh? I know you land sharks, and would I'd been born with a speck of your cunning, then had I never gone of this venture and lost my ship and twoscore men that money'll ne'er replace. Look at me, a sheer hulk and no more, and all through lending ear to one prayer and another. I doubt you're minded to turn your back on poor old Bob Evans, as t'others have, Mr. Hopkins—and why not? The poor old man's worth nothing, and cannot help himself." With this he fell a-sniveling like any girl.

"I vow I'll not quit you, Evans, till you're hale again."

"Bring him with thee o' Saturday," urged Simon. "Surely my mistress can never have the heart to refuse you shelter at the court, who owes her life to ye. Come and stay there till thy wage be paid, friend Evans."

"What! Would ye make an honest sailor play bum bailiff and stick in a house, willy nilly, till money's found? Plague of your dry land! Give me a pitching ship, and a rolling sea, and a gale whistling in my shrouds. Oh, my reins, my reins! Give me a paper of tobacco, Mr. Hopkins, and a pipe to soothe this agony, or I shall grow desperate."

I left the room as if to satisfy this desire, and Simon followed, imploring me still to come on Saturday to Chiselhurst, and I at length got rid of him by promising to come as soon as Evans could be left or induced to accompany me. I persuaded Dawson, very much against his greed, to delay our going until Monday, the better to hoodwink old Simon, and on that day we set out for Chiselhurst, both clad according to our condition—he in rough frieze, and I in a very proper, seemly sort of cloth—and with more guineas in our pockets than ever before we had possessed shillings. And a very merry journey this was, for Dawson, finding himself once more at liberty and hearty as a lark after his long confinement and under no constraint, was like a boy let loose from school, caroling at the top of his voice, playing mad pranks with all who passed us on the road and staying at every inn to drink twopenny ale, so that I feared he would certainly fall ill drinking, as he had before of eating, but the exercise of riding, the fresh, wholesome air and half an hour's doze in a spinney did settle his liquor, and so he reached Hurst Court quite sober, thanks be to heaven, though very gay. And there we had need of all our self command to conceal our joy in finding those gates open to us, which we had looked through so fondly when we were last here, and to spy Moll in a stately gown on the fine terrace before this noble house, carrying herself as if she had lived here all her life, and Don Sanchez walking very deferential by her side. Especially Dawson could scarce bring himself to speak to her in an uncouth, surly manner, as befitted his character, and no sooner were we entered the house but he whips Moll behind a door and falls a-hugging and kissing her like any sly young lover.

While he was giving way to these extravagances, which Moll had not the heart to rebuff—for in her full, warm heart she was as overjoyed to see him there as he her—Don Sanchez and I paced up and down the spacious hall, I all of a-twitter lest one or other of the servants might discover the familiarity of these two (which must have been a fine matter for curious gossip in the household and elsewhere), and the don mighty somber and grave (as foreseeing an evil outcome of this business), so that he would make no answer to my civilities save by dumb gestures, showing he was highly displeased. But truly 'twas enough to set us all crazy, but he, with joy, to be in possession of all these riches and think that we had landed at Chatham scarce a fortnight before without decent clothes to our backs, and now, but for the success of our design, might be the penniless strolling vagabonds we were when Don Sanchez lighted on us.

Presently Moll came out from the side room with her father, her hair all tumbled, and as rosy as a peach, and she would have us visit the house from top to bottom, showing us the rooms set apart for us, her own chamber, the state room, the dining hall, the store closets for plate and linen, etc., all prodigious fine and in most excellent condition, for the scrupulous minute care of old Simon had suffered nothing to fall out of repair, the rooms being kept well aired, the pictures, tapestries and magnificent furniture all preserved fresh with linen covers and the like. From the hall she took us out on to the terrace to survey the park and the gardens about the house, and here, as within doors, all was in most admirable keeping, with no wild growth or runaweeds anywhere, nor any sign of neglect. But I observed, as an indication of the steward's thrifty, unpoetic mind, that the garden beds were planted with onions and such marketable produce, in place of flowers, and that instead of deer grazing upon the green slopes of the park there was only such prodigious cattle as sheep, cows, etc. And at the sight of all this abundance of good things, and especially the well stored buttery, Dawson declared he could live here all his life and never worry. And with that, all unthinkingly, he lays his arm about Moll's waist.

Then the don, who had followed us up and down stairs, speaking never one word till this, says, "We may count ourselves lucky, Captain Evans, if we are suffered to stay here another week."

CHAPTER XVI.

The next morning I went to Simon at his lodgehouse, having writ him a word overnight to prepare him for my coming, and there I found him, with all his books and papers ready for my examination. So to it we set, casting up figures, comparing accounts and so forth the best part of the day, and in the end I came away convinced that he was the most scrupulous, honest steward ever man had. And truly it appeared that by his prudent investments and careful management he had doubled the value of the estate and more in the last ten years. He showed me also that in all his valuations he had set off a large sum for loss by accident of fire, war, etc., so that, actually at the present moment the estate, which he reckoned at £75,000 pounds, was worth at the least £125,000. But for better assurance on this head I spent the remainder of the week in visiting the farms, messuages, etc., on his rent roll, and found them all in good condition and held by good substantial men, nothing in any particular but what he represented it.

Reporting on these matters privily to Don Sanchez and Dawson, I asked the don what we should now be doing.

"Two ways lie before us," says he, lighting a cigarro. "Put Simon out of his house and make an enemy of him," adds he betwixt two puffs of smoke, "seize his securities, sell them for what they will fetch and get out of the country as quickly as possible. If the properties be worth £125,000, we may" (puff) "possibly" (puff) "get £40,000 for them" (puff), "about a third of their value—not more. On £10,000 a man may live like a prince—in Spain. The other way is to make a friend of Simon by restoring him to his office, suffer him to treble the worth of the estate again the next ten years and live like kings" (puff) "in England."

"Pray, which way do you incline, senor?" says I.

"Being a Spaniard," answers he gravely, "I should prefer to live like a prince in Spain."

"That would not I," says Dawson stoutly. "A year and a half of [illegible] have cured me of all fondness for foreign parts. Besides, 'tis a beggarly, scurvy thing to fly one's country, as if we had done some unhandsome, dishonest trick. If I faced an Englishman, I should never dare look him straight in the eyes again. What say you, Mr. Hopkins?"

"Why, Evans," says I, "you know my will without telling. I will not of my own accord go from your choice, which way you will."

"Since we owe everything to Mistress Judith," observes the don, "and as she is no longer a child, ought not her wishes to be consulted?"

"No," says Jack very decidedly, and then, lowering his voice, he adds, "for was she Judith Godwin ten times told, and as old as my grandmother into the bargain, she *is* still my daughter and shall do as I choose her to do. And if, as you say, we owe her everything then I count 'twould be a mean, dirty return to make her live out of England and feel she has a sneaking coward for a father."

"As you please," says the don. "Give me £10,000 of the sum you are to be paid at Michaelmas, and you are welcome to all the rest."

"You mean that, senor?" cries Jack, seizing the don's hand and raising his left.

"By the Holy Mother!" answers Don Sanchez in Spanish.

"Done!" cries Dawson, bringing his hand down with a smack on the Don's palm. "Nay, I always believed you were the most generous man living. Ten from t'other. William Jackson," says he, turning to me, "what does that leave us?"

"More than £100,000!"

"The Lord be praised, forevermore!" cries Jack.

Upon this Moll, by advice of Don Sanchez, sends for Simon, and, telling him she is satisfied with the account I have given of his stewardship offers him the further control of her affairs, subject at all times to her decision on any question concerning her convenience and reserving to herself the sole government of her household, the ordering of her house, lands, etc. And, Simon grasping eagerly at this proposal, she then gives him the promise of £1,000 for his past services and doubles the wages due to him under his contract with Sir W. Godwin.

"Give me what it may please thee to bestow that way," cried he. "All shall be laid out to enrich this property. I have no other use for money, no other worldly end in life but that."

And when he saw me next, he was most slavish in his thanks for my good offices, vowing I should be paid my claim by Michaelmas if it were in the power of man to raise so vast a sum in such short space.

Surely, thinks I, there was never a more strange, original creature than this, yet it do seem to me that there is no man but his passion must appear a madness to others.

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

Only Dead Republicans [illegible]

Only dead Republicans should remain away from the polls this year. No live Republican can afford such a thing. The intelligent use of the ballot is the highest test of citizenship. Vote, and vote the Republican ticket.

Your vote is needed this year to help secure Republican success in 1896.

Trying to Make Figures Lie.

The statistical department of the Federal government is doing its level best for the Democratic party.—Rochester Post-Express (Ind.).

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Those Good Old Democratic Times.

This is a Democratic year. That's why Dun's review reports "the worst general range of prices ever known in this country."

Your vote is needed this year to help secure Republican success in 1896.

Your Vote Is Needed.

The vote of every Republican is needed in Pennsylvania this year. If you value prosperity vote for the party whose legislation has always aimed to encourage prosperity.

Your vote is needed this year to help secure Republican success in 1896.

Are you in favor of Reed, McKinley, Allison, Morton, Harrison or Lincoln for the presidential nomination. Whoever it may be he will need your vote next year. And on the same principle your vote is needed this year. Don't fail to vote.

It May do as Much For You.

Mr. Fred Miller, of Irving, Ill., writes that he had a Severe Kidney trouble for many years, with severe pains in his back and also that his bladder was affected. He tried many so called Kidney cures but without any good result. About a year ago he began use of Electric Bitters and found relief at once. Electric Bitters is especially adapted to cure of all Kidney and Liver troubles and often gives almost instant relief. One trial will prove our statement. Price 50c. and $1.00. At A. W. [illegible] and A. B. Armstrong & Co.'s Drug Store.

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REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

For State Treasurer,
BENJAMIN J HAYWOOD,
of Mercer
For Judges of the Superior Court,
JAMES A BEAVER,
of Centre County.
HOWARD J REEDER,
of Northampton County
JOHN J WICKHAM,
of Beaver County.
GEORGE W. ORLADY,
of Huntingdon County
CHARLES E RICE,
of Luzerne County
EDWARD N WILLARD,
of Lackawanna County.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY TICKET.

For Treasurer,
THOMAS B. CLARK,
of Bradford City

Before another week has passed the voters of Pennsylvania will have met and decided the question as to the relative strength of each party in the State. A word to the Republican voter before he goes to the polls Remember that as an American citizen you have the free ballot in your hand, use in a manner that will do credit to yourself and children. Republican principles have advanced this country as no other party principles ever did Democrats may tell you that they have accomplished wonders for this country but you and every honest man knows better Democratic principles have been like a loadstone around the nation's neck, dragging it downwards, instead of lifting it up and advancing its interest. First it was slavery then it was free trade While the latter was not a traffic in human life, yet it was almost as bad it has made many a home desolate it placed the laboring man on a plane with the poorly paid pauper laborer of Europe While the Republican party was in power their efforts were always to make the wages of the laboring man as high as possible in order that he might enjoy the comforts of a good home The Democratic party on the other hand in the last three years has been doing its utmost to help the laborers of Europe by throwing our ports of entry open to foreign manufacturers admitting their goods free of duty and thus compelling our laborers to work for the same wages or starve. When you go to the polls next Tuesday let every Republican do all in his power to keep the great State of Pennsylvania at the head of the column of States in giving the largest Republican majorities. The citizens of other States are watching the Keystone State to see the position her citizens will take on the tariff the silver question and all other matters relating to good government In times like the present many voters will say well this is not an important election and my vote will not make any difference. Such should not be the case The laws of our land has given every law abiding citizen the privilege for the bettering of his own and his fellowmen's condition Do not abuse this right by omission or neglect take time go to the polls and vote for Republican principles, that have made this nation the admiration of the world See that your Republican neighbor goes with you and does his duty also, as all good American citizens should Go as early as you can, for delays are dangerous. Something might occur later in the day to delay you and perhaps keep you away from the polls Vote the straight ticket. "No cutting" should be the watchword of every Republican.

The recent attacks on the character of Mr Clark, made by our Democratic contemporaries, are unwarranted and unjust, and instead of resulting in his being cut, will naturally make votes for him. We deprecate a mud slinging campaign, and the recent efforts made by the Democratic organs to traduce the character of Mr Clark will not meet with the approbation of any true man He comes before the people with the indorsement of all the best business men of Bradford, who say that during a residence of sixteen years in that city he has come to be regarded as a man of unquestioned integrity and moral character We believe that he should receive the united support of his party, not alone because of his home reputation, but because of his zealous work in behalf of the cause of Republicanism Vote for Clark for county treasurer

If anyone has any doubt as regards the workings of the proposed new rules let them enquire of some one who has resided in Crawford county and as seen and experienced the workings of the system in vogue there and they will soon learn that men who are familiar with the Crawford county rules have a very poor opinion of them and are strongly opposed to them We have conversed with several gentlemen on the subject and they all denounce the new rules in the strongest terms

T. B. Clark and J H Tate are both good citizens, but we say to Republicans that there is this difference between them, Mr Clark is a Republican and has done zealous work for his party, and Mr Tate is a Democrat and an advocate of Democratic principles. This should, therefore, be a good reason why Mr Clark should receive the united Republican support.

Republicans, vote the straight ticket, and thus prove your fidelity to the principals which have made the party foremost in everything that has for its object the welfare of our great nation.

Five million dollars in gold bars were withdrawn from the United States Treasury by jewellers to manufacture into holiday jewelry.

Make your mark (X) in the circle at the head of the Republican column for a straight vote.

It's just as easy to try One Minute Cough Cure as anything else. It's easier to cure severe cough or cold with it. Let your next purchase for a cough be a One Minute Cough Cure. Better medicine, better results; better try it A.W. Colegrove.

NEW RULES.

There are two objections to the new rules proposed for the Republican party which ought to be fatal to them. The writer is familiar with the working of the proposed system in other sections and can testify that it is worse than a farce—it is folly. The idea of a popular vote is captivating to the fancy. In practice—on the lines laid down by the new rules—it robs the people of the power to control by majority expression and takes away the birthright of the humblest citizen to contend on equal ground with the rich for public honors. The reason is very simple Suppose three or more candidates for office submit their claims to the people A popular vote is cast. He who gets the most votes is nominated, but he may have only a trifle more than one-third of all the votes cast. In other words, the candidate nominated may be distasteful to nearly two thirds of the party and yet be foisted on the party as its standard bearer It is easy to foresee what would happen in such an event in a county where a few hundred votes can turn the scale But, assuming that the candidate is nominated by the majority vote he has been put to the expense of conducting a regular election within the party All the machinery of an election has been used, a thorough canvass has been made with all its attendant and inevitable expenses, legitimate and otherwise But having won his nomination, the candidate must expend the same amount of time and money in getting elected. In effect the candidate is compelled to stand two regular campaigns, and if it happens that he is a minority nominee, the chances are that he will fail in the end. Often the result is this Men of means absolutely control the politics of the county. Given a man with money and no scruples about using it, and he can put it beyond the power of a poor man, however capable and deserving, from getting a nomination. The popular vote system is a delusive scheme to centralize political power in the hands of the wealthy and unscrupulous It has proved such elsewhere and would do so here It increases the opportunities for defeating the will of the party and for working clever schemes by setting up dummy candidates to draw off votes from this one or that one and thus allowing a minority candidate to win The representative system is best adapted to our form of government and is in harmony with the genius of our institutions. The 'popular system,' so called, is fraught with manifold perils because under the guise of simple democracy it paves the way for the most corrupt plutocracy We are not writing at random, but from a positive knowledge of the practical operations of the popular system and we warn the voters of McKean county that if they adopt the new rules they will repent their folly The delegate system may not be perfect, but it is the most perfect system yet devised and the safest It affords the voters the same latitude of choice given under the popular system minimizes the danger of debauchery and absolutely secures the rule of the majority The objection that delegates are sometimes bribed has no force as compared with the popular system. As Mr. R. B Stone pointed out in his communication published in the *Star* of Tuesday the delegates as a rule are representative men selected by the candidates on account of their fidelity and integrity and elected by the voters in open caucus. Few delegates are susceptible to bribery, but if they yield to corrupt inducements they are easily spotted and are answerable to their constituency and to the law If the delegate system is open to abuses how much more so is the popular system and how much less liable the guilty to detection and punishment? Granting that bribery is sometimes practiced, the difference between the delgate system and the popular system in this respect is the difference between the retail purchase of delegates under circumstances peculiarly hazardous to briber and bribee and wholesale debauchery of the voters under conditions favorable to immunity on the part of the debaucher and debauchee.—*Star*

THE SUPERIOR COURT

As a matter of information to the many readers of the Miner we print clippings from the Titusville *Herald* and Warren *Mirror*, showing the situation of the Superior Court mapped out by the Governor The great northwestern part of Pennsylvania was left without representation on the Superior Court bench

Titusville *Herald* (Republican) We observe that such sterling Republican newspapers as the Erie *Dispatch* and Oil City *Derrick* are urging the Republicans of Western Pennsylvania to unite in supporting Judge Noyes for the seventh member of the Superior court. It must be admitted that this great northwestern and surely Republican section of the State was shamefully neglected in the Superior Court appointments of Governor Hastings whose candidates were renominated without exception by the Republican convention of August 28 We regret to say that Northwestern Pennsylvania has no place on the governor's map. But the Democrats have named Judge Noyes, of our neighboring county of Warren, for a place among the new bench, and as seven judges are to be chosen, of whom only six can be Republicans, we offer that Judge Noyes, should be made the candidate of both parties of the northwest His election is desirable from another point of view He is the only candidate upon either Superior court ticket whose residence in the oil region has made him conversant with the many sided interests of that great industry upon the prosperity of which this entire section of the state in a large degree depends If Republicans from Pittsburg to Erie will unite upon Judge Noyes, his election may be accomplished by a handsome majority, as there is no candidate from Philadelphia upon the Superior court ticket Upon the score of ability, integrity, and wide, legal experience, Judge Noyes qualifies for the position to which he aspires. We are not prepared to say that of all Democratic legal luminaries in Western Pennsylvania he would have been our first choice, for there are other lawyers standing high in the councils of their party and in their profession upon whose shoulders the ermine would rest most gracefully But as the nominee of this party and as an oil region candidate, we believe Judge Noyes should have the undivided support of Republicans and Democrats alike throughout the whole section of the State

Warren *Mirror* (Rep)—The friends of Judge Noyes, both Democratic and Republican, are working faithfully and effectually for his election to the Superior Court bench Letter circulars are being sent through the mails to the voters in this section of the State, and everything possible is being done to forward his interests. No one doubts Judge Noyes' qualifications, and his election would be a source of pride to every good citizen.

Wanted.

Ladies and gentlemen suffering with throat and lung difficulties to call at our drug store for a bottle of Otto's Cure, which we are distributing free of charge, and we can confidently recommend it as a superior remedy for coughs, colds, bronchitis, consumption, and all diseases of the throat and lungs. It will stop a cough quicker than any known remedy. We will guarantee it to cure you. If your children have croup or whooping cough it is sure to give instant relief. Don't delay, but get a trial bottle free. Large sizes 50c and 25c. Bold by McCoy's drug store, Smethport, and C. A. Anderson, Colegrove.

CLOSING THE CAMPAIGN.

Activity at the Headquarters of the State Committee.

CALLS FROM SOME PARTY MEN.

Disposition to Get Out the Vote in All Sections.

DEAD REPUBLICANS STAY HOME.

No Others Should Remain Away From the Polls on the Fifth of November—A Vote Is a Small Thing, But It Means a Great Deal on Election Day—Turn Out and Swell the Majority to Gigantic Proportions—Do This and You Do Your Duty.

[Special Correspondence.]

Philadelphia, Oct. 29.—The activity about the headquarters of the Republican state committee is increasing during these closing days of the committee. In a very short time the executive work will end here and after that all will depend upon the county committees and the local organizations. The one thought in the mind of Senator Quay and his coadjutors has been to bring out the vote, and if the men in the counties will keep this one theory in mind there will be no question regarding the size of the majority. Scores of prominent Republicans have been among the callers at the committee rooms during the past week. Ben Haywood, the popular candidate for state treasurer, was one and the candidates for the new superior court were among others. Lieutenant Governor Walter Lyon called, as also did Senator Arthur Kennedy, ex Lieutenant Governor Watres, Senator Andrews, Thomas V Cooper, Congressman Stone, Senator McCarrell and Senator Penrose.

Lieutenant Governor Lyon said "If the people thoroughly appreciated the necessity of getting out a full vote this year I am sure there would be very few stay at home. Another thing this is a bad year to experiment by voting with any of the other parties. This is no time to desert the old ship. If any Republican has stood by his party faithfully up to date but is now willing to eat husks with the Democrats on the Salt river barrens or fast with the Populists it wouldn't be good policy to make any serious effort to retain him. He won't do his party any harm by leaving it or do much good to the party he goes to. There is as much in the Republican party as there ever was, and there are as good grounds for pinning faith to the Republican party as there ever was. There is work for the party in breaking the golden calf set up by the Democratic administration and putting the government back to the tariff and financial basis on which the fathers placed it. No matter what an occasional Republican may say, the line we have marked out is that in which the party is traveling and in which it will continue

Thomas V Cooper whose experience as state chairman has taught him the value of a vote said: "A vote is a small thing. A snowflake is a small thing. But the latter may be one of many to make the avalanche and bury human life in its cold embrace and the former may be one of many to crush business hopes, devastate agriculture, wreck labor and carry hunger, cold and exposure where thrift and comfort have heretofore dwelt. The destruction of the Republican protective system at the election of 1892 was the crime of the century. It was deliberate and it was causeless. In two years it wrecked the accumulated wealth of a quarter of a century and reduced to poverty millions of people against whom the perpetrators of the crime had no possible grievance. Vote right this year and rebuke the Democratic party.

Ex Lieutenant Governor Waters said We are on the eve of a national election and a vote this year means not only a vote for the ticket but also a vote of encouragement for next year. In 1892 the people permitted themselves to be deceived. Everybody knows the consequences. Every one knows what has happened

These were things which the Republican press warned the voters against and pointed out the danger of their coming as clearly as we have here described it. Any man of good judgment could have seen it then. No man is so weak eyed that he cannot see it now. It don't require to be seen by process of reasoning. He can see it in his own bank account or want of one. In the low prices of what he sells, in the scarcity of money among those he sells to, in the scarcity of work and the plentiful supply of tramps and loafers, and in the general stoppage of work and gloominess of business. This is an object lesson which ought not to be neglected. Vote for the state ticket this year as a preliminary to the vote for president

Your vote is needed this year to help assure Republican success in 1896.

> Do not delude yourself with the idea that your vote is not needed. Every Republican vote is needed in Pennsylvania, and never more so than the present time. Vote and vote early.

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The Cause of Prostration.

Mr Carlisle unpatriotically attacks his own country's credit when he declares that public distrust of the currency prostrated business from the Atlantic to the Pacific. The losses of American producers and the increase of the national debt by $50,000,000 loans are primarily due to the inherent tendency of the Democracy to destroy and the inherent incapacity of the Democracy to legislate. The insane attempts of the plantation politicians and Mugwump theorists to force free trade upon the United States is responsible for the costliest panic on record and for a deficit in the revenues of more than $[illegible] a year.—New York Advertiser

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A Query Answered.

To P. D. S.—Yes, you have the right to vote, and if you desire to begin properly you should cast your first ballot for the whole Republican ticket.

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To Help the Ohio Democracy Down Hill.

Senator Hill is announced to take the stump for his colleague Brice presently Having rolled up an adverse plurality in his own state of 156,000 Hill can of course sympathize with the man who couldn't roll it beyond 137,000 in Ohio.—Cincinnati Times-Star

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An Easy Ticket to Vote.

It is the easiest matter in the world to vote the Republican ticket this year Just place an X mark in the circle at the head of the column marked Republican refold your ballot as you received it from the election officer and your work is done.

Your vote is needed this year to help assure Republican success in 1896.

Yes, a Democratic Year.

Nearly all the railroads of this western country are in the hands of receivers. This is a Democratic year

> Pennsylvania has always led in the Republican column. Do not permit the grand old commonwealth to fall in the background this year. The way to avert such a thing is to go out and vote on the fifth of November

Your vote is needed this year to help assure Republican success in 1896.

Say, why don't you try DeWitt's Little Early Risers? These little pills cure headache, indigestion and constipation. They're small, but do the work. A. W. Colegrove.

Every Republican vote polled means every Republican candidate elected.

Is your Republican neighbor going to the polls? Find out and by all means see that he casts his ballot on Nov 5.

It is a duty you owe the commonwealth as a citizen and a true man to go to the polls on the 5th of November and assert yourself for honest government.

The supreme court settled the question raised as to whether a voter should cast his vote for six or seven candidates for the superior court in support of the law restricting the vote to six.

"The Democratic harmony plan as it is mapped out by Senator Hill has been a complete failure says a New York dispatch. Now let the merry war go on. Probably Hill still says "I am a Democrat." But his party—alas—what is it?

Young men who cast their first vote this year should decide to take their stand with the Republican party. The greater political contest is coming next year and Republican victory is in the air. Young Republicans are going to help materially to secure that victory

In deciding whether it is worth while to go to the polls a week from Tuesday the voter should take a trial balance of his personal accounts under Republican and also under Democratic rule. If there is a balance in favor of free trade and hard times, then he will clearly be justified in declining to take the trouble to come out and vote

Free traders are willing to rob half a million people of work in order to provide "free" material for less than 6,000 furniture factories. The free traders are willing to sacrifice 100,000 farmers in order to benefit less than a couple of thousand manufacturers of woolen and worsted goods. They will do the same with the hundreds of thousands of men who work in producing iron ore so as to benefit the comparatively few manufacturers of iron and steel products.

The iron industries of Pennsylvania seem to be thriving more than any other industries under the iniquitous Wilson tariff bill Why is this? Because when the measure was before the senate it was amended and the tariff rate increased through the strong fight made by Senator Quay. It is now admitted that if his advice had been followed the whole bill could have been defeated and we would now be enjoying the blessings of the McKinley bill

The Republican system of protection has always been intended to include all our people and to take recognition of the humblest wage earner as well as of the wealthiest manufacturer. This species of protection is denounced by the free traders as a fraud. But their system of protection would rob half a million workers for the benefit of less than 6,000 furniture factories would rob 100,000 sheep farmers for the benefit of 1,000 wool manufacturers and would rob hundreds of thousands of workers in our iron mines for the benefit of a comparatively few owners of iron mills.

Your vote is needed this year to help assure Republican success in 1896.

THE CRIME OF THE CENTURY

The Democratic Party and the Result of Its Year of Tinkering

The Democratic party in its campaign of 1892, said that the tariff passed by the Republicans was so high that it would exclude a large amount of foreign goods and the result would be that there would be a deficiency in the treasury. The Democratic party is a consistent party as far as sticking to a lie when once told is concerned and so they asserted that when President Cleveland came into office there was a large deficiency in the funds of the treasury. They at once set about to improve the times and the first plunge they made was for the tariff

They said that the way to increase the revenue was to readjust the tariff. The proposition was to lower the tariff on every dutiable article and make all raw materials free. This they said would put more money into the United States treasury would lower the prices of everything consumed by the American people and increase the prices of everything produced by them.

It would set everybody at work and all laboring men would have their wages increased and the cost of living decreased giving them greater profits for their labor. The unthinking multitude believed voted the Democratic ticket and got badly injured in the operation. They did not look into the paradoxical propositions made to them. They should have known as any man of sense ought to know that if a lower tariff would put more money into the treasury it could only do so when there would be an increase of imports. That is not hard to understand.

They ought to have known that an increase of imports would mean a decrease of domestic manufacturing or producing that a decrease of home products would mean a reduction of the labor required and increased idleness among laborers that increased idleness would mean increased poverty and decreased ability to pay for subsistence and this would mean a poorer market for farm and every other home product and lower prices of the same. It would also mean that less labor being required, laborers would be more numerous and the price of labor would be lowered. All of these things have been made painfully apparent now. Don't encourage the Democratic party this year by your failure to vote. Vote and vote in favor of prosperity

Your vote is needed this year to help assure Republican success in 1896.

> If you have the good of the Republican party at heart you will go to the polls on Nov 5 and cast your ballot for the whole ticket. A Republican vote this year will help us win Republican success in 1896

Your vote is needed this year to help assure Republican success in 1896.

Headache Destroys Health

Resulting in poor memory irritability nervousness and intellectual exhaustion. It induces other forms of disease, such as epilepsy heart disease apoplexy insanity etc.

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Mrs. Chas. A. Myers, 201 Hanna St., Fort Wayne, Ind., writes Oct. 7 1894 "I suffered terribly with severe headaches, dizziness, backache and nervousness, gradually growing worse until my life was despaired of and try what we would, I found no relief until I commenced using Dr Miles' Nervine. I have taken five bottles and believe I am a well woman, and I have taken great comfort in recommending all of my friends to use Nervine. You may publish this letter if you wish, and I hope it may be the means of saving some other sick mother's life, as it did mine."

On sale by all druggists. Book on Heart and Nerves sent FREE. Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

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AN OBJECT LESSON.

Increase in the Protected German Iron Trade—Decrease in England's Output.

Attention has recently been called to the growing competition of the Germans with the English in the neutral iron markets of the world Figures are presented which show that in 1880 Great Britain produced [illegible] tons of pig iron and Germany [illegible] tons but that in 1894 the British output was only [illegible] while that of the Fatherland was no less than [illegible] tons. In other words, in the short period of fourteen years Germany had nearly doubled its iron productive power while England had fallen off over half a million tons But this was not the worst factor of the situation from a British standpoint. In 1880 Germany exported only [illegible] tons of pig iron but in 1894 the exports had become [illegible] tons, while during this period English exports had fallen from [illegible] tons to a considerably smaller figure. In short Germany has been seizing the trade of England.

The free traders are trying to make people fancy that this great change is due to the Germans having put more brain into their work. The undoubted truth however is that the Germans enjoy the benefits of a strong protective tariff system while the iron men of Great Britain have been left to the tender mercies of any and every competitor through the operation of their free trade laws. The lesson is an important one for everybody interested in American prosperity

Republicans can congratulate themselves that the Democrats have a monopoly of the business of mud-slinging and defamation. Mr. Clark has conducted a clean, fair campaign and his friends have treated Mr Tate with uniform courtesy Self respecting persons will not descend to the employment of of slum methods. Mr Clark is a gentleman and his friends have to much respect for him and themselves to win by mud slinging Mr. Clark has been a resident of McKean county for sixteen years and has proved himself an upright citizen, an honest man, an indefatigable party worker, and has never before asked for recognition He will win, and he will have the satisfaction of knowing that no part of his success will be due to tactics unworthy an honest man or a high minded candidate —*Star*

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Estray

Came to the premises of the subscriber about August 25th, last a large black cow The owner can have the same by proving property and paying charges

11 tf HENRY WRIGHT
Marvin Creek

[illegible] that the [illegible] cure is the [illegible] there are [illegible] A. W. Colegrove.

Notice

Came to the premises of the undersigned last Sunday night a dark bay horse. He has a ring bone on one hind foot and white star in forehead. The owner is requested to come forward and claim property and pay charges

1 tf GEORGE LYONS.

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Summons,
Confession of Judgment
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Estate of Grant V. Stull, Deceased

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT LETTERS of administration upon the estate of Grant V. Stull, late of Eldred Township, McKean county, Pa., deceased have been granted by the Register of said county [illegible] McKean county, Pa. All persons indebted to said estate will make immediate payment and all persons having claims against said estate will [illegible]

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LOCAL AND GENERAL.

—[illegible] out the vote.

—Now for another Republican victory.

—[illegible] by the [illegible] next Tuesday.

—Indications are that Smethport will have a foot ball team.

—[illegible]

—[illegible] Contright, of [illegible], occupied the pulpit of the Baptist [church] last Sunday.

—[illegible]

—Mr. and Mrs. James [illegible] were happy over the arrival of a daughter at their home Monday last week.

—[illegible]

—Mrs. [illegible] received $[illegible] insurance from [illegible] on the death of her [illegible].

—[illegible] from Smethport [illegible] Ormsby last Sunday [illegible]

—[illegible]

—[illegible] Clermont [illegible] has [illegible] after a lapse of several [illegible] open for traffic.

—The directors of the Coudersport & Port Allegany Railroad met at Coudersport [illegible] to accept the new extension [illegible] from the contractor.

—There will be a meeting of the [illegible] Pennsylvania Press Association [illegible] next Saturday to complete arrangements for the Atlanta excursion.

—Albert H. Cadogan, of Wales, N. Y., and Miss Iona DuBois, of Eldred, Pa., were joined in wedlock by Justice Ford Tuesday evening, Oct. 29th, at Mr. Ford's [illegible].

—The sidewalks at East Smethport between the bridge and the depot are in a dangerous condition. Take out an accident policy before venturing down there after dark.

—Thanksgiving day will soon be here.

—The MINER is under obligations to Hon. C. W. Stone for favors extended.

—The MINER is under obligation to Hon. H. H. North for favors conferred.

—John Shoemaker was doing the clerical work for the jury commissioners this week.

—Leave your orders for binding magazines and other books at the MINER office. Quick work at reasonable prices. Call and look over the samples of binding.

—Look out for stories circulated at a late hour when too late to be answered. Republicans, you may have met some of these eleventh hour liars before. They still live.

—The Junior League will give an entertainment of songs, recitations, &c., on Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock, in the Methodist church, to which all are invited to be present.

The Extract Co. at East Smethport are putting in a new boiler of larger dimensions by the side of the old one and a new iron smoke stack that will be about 10 feet higher than the brick stack.

—Street Commissioner Ramer is engaged in hauling stone and putting them into the road this side of the Potato creek bridge. These stones will be pounded fine and make a great improvement.

—The regular rhetorical exercises of the Smethport schools will take place in each of the school rooms at 2:30 p. m. on Friday, Nov. 15. All persons interested in the work of the schools are cordially invited.

In this section we are missing the orchard loaded down with richly colored apples. In other parts of the country there is an abundance of fruit. It is claimed that there are over 65,000,000 barrels of apples in the country.

—Don't expect too much of Mr. Pickett for the next week as he is living on gruel and other spoon victuals nowadays. Dr. Rinn drew his molars Monday. What use has a Methodist minister for teeth anyway, out of donation season. —*Reporter.*

The South Penn Oil Co. have a good gasser on warrant 3,400 and it is expected that this will develop a new field and extend it towards Crystal hill. There is undoubtedly a pool of oil in there somewhere and who will be the lucky one to strike it?

Editor [illegible] and family are pleasantly domiciled in their new residence on lower Main street. The *Democrat* extends a hearty welcome to them and hopes that they will find their residence in Smethport congenial.—*Dem.* Thanks, Bro. Lindsley.

In the matter of lighting our streets was submitted to a vote of the tax payers [illegible] the MINER is of the [illegible] that it would carry by a large majority. This is a suggestion for our council to take action upon. Light [illegible] should have.

Last Friday John Switzer found a [illegible] containing $[illegible] in front of [illegible] the Marvin [illegible]. The money was brought [illegible] advertised for a short time afterward [illegible] McGraw the owner [illegible] and received his lost property.

The Devonian Oil Company shot a new well at Ormsby last Sunday using 40 quarts of nitro-glycerine. The well started off with a flow at the rate of [illegible] a day. The same company has the rig up on the Johnson farm a mile east of Ormsby towards Smethport.

The attention of the borough council is called to the very dangerous condition of the walk on Mechanic street from the bakery to the Marvin Creek bridge. On a dark night it is unsafe for anyone to walk over and if not attended to immediately may result in a suit for damages.

S. S. Sterk sends a communication that Thomas Hunt, of League, Potter Co., shot himself last Friday morning while out hunting. It seems he was dragging his gun along and the hammer caught on a twig discharging the gun and sending the whole charge into his back. He died the same day at six o'clock.

—Mrs. I. W. Reilly and Miss Lydia Fillingstell have started a branch millinery store in Port Allegany. Miss Belle Abbey, who has been in the employ of Mrs. Reilly for a number of years, will preside over this branch. We can assure the people of Port Allegany that they have secured a capable milliner.

The new depot at Eldred is being pushed forward with all possible dispatch. —*Tramp.* No it isn't. The rails have been taken up at both ends of it and if it was pushed along it would run off the track. —*Eagle.* This is very good evidence that the old car will do duty as a depot for an indefinite period.

A Nunda farmer who made an experiment the other day failed to meet with very good success. He tied his cow's tail to his leg to keep it from striking his face while milking. In the third heat around the pasture the laughing neighbors recount the man loose. He is mad at everybody and wears a full dress suit of court plaster.—*Ex.*

Last Saturday morning we had the misfortune to break our large Gordon press which was used to print the ballots. Messrs. [illegible] of the *Democrat* kindly permitted us to use the large job press [illegible] for which kindness the MINER man [illegible] is very thankful. If our [illegible] need our assistance we shall be happy to reciprocate.

Miss Etta Webb, daughter of Mrs. [illegible] Webb, died of consumption at the home of her mother on [illegible] brook last Saturday. Deceased was aged 21 years and her early demise was a shock to her many friends. Last spring she suffered from a severe attack of grip from which she did not recover. The funeral was held in St. Raphael's church in this place Monday afternoon and the remains were laid at rest in the [illegible] cemetery.—*Eldred Eagle.*

Last Monday night the peaceful slumbers of quite a number of our staid burghers were rudely disturbed by loud talking, swearing, the use of obscene language and the promiscuous shooting of a revolver on the streets. Three woodsmen, two of whom were doing their best to keep the third one quiet, were on Main street in front of the Reilly block causing the disturbance. Councilman A. J. Palmer and County Supt. F. Kleccamp came along and bravely marched up to the frenzied and intoxicated disturber of the peace and took him to jail. Several times he fought and tried to escape, but was finally landed behind the bars. The next morning he was brought before Squire Knapp and fined $10 and costs, amounting to $[illegible]. His name was Wm. McGraw and it is to be hoped he will [profit by] the fatherly advice administered by the justice. The other two men are deserving of credit for trying to keep the man quiet. They both said the man got what he deserved.

—The bar of the county was well represented at Argument court Saturday.

—Get your apples for winter use of D. M. Brasted, by the barrel. Prices right.

—Hon. George Griffiths, of Kane, will inspect McKean Post of the G. A. R. No. 347 on Thursday, Nov. 7th.

—In another column will be found a card from the committee on the new rules calling attention to the time the vote will be taken which is next Tuesday, November 5th.

—C. H. Donahue yesterday commenced the framework on Leroy Holmes new house on Main street. The designs are said to be beautiful and when finished Mr. Holmes will have a delightful home.

—The commissioners and their clerk have been kept very busy during the last few days preparing for election. The Baker ballot law makes any amount of work and increases the expense wonderfully.

—Through the kindness of Hon. Wallace Bruce we are able to reproduce his poem, "Ole Bull's Christmas" which he recited while here at the Institute. Preserve it as it is well worthy and fully shows the power of music.

—C. B. Cleveland takes the prize for raising squashes. He took three squashes from one vine and weighed them, the largest one weighed 74 pounds, the second one 45 pounds and the third 31 pounds, a total weight of 150 pounds. They were of the mammoth chili variety.—*Mail.*

—Mrs. Betsy Davis, of Cole Creek, died at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. R. E. Hooker, Monday night, the 28th inst., aged 82 years and 6 months. This was simply a wearing out of the system. The deceased had been a resident of the same place for over 50 years and was generally known as Mother Davis. She was of a genial and pleasing disposition and universally liked by every one. The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Union church at Farmers Valley. The remains were placed in the Goodwin cemetery.

—A charter has been granted to the Emporium & Mt. Jewett Railroad company. The road will start at a point in the centre line of the Emporium & Rich Valley company, in the township of Shippen, Cameron county, thence northwesterly to the confluence of Wild Cat run and Marvin creek, in McKean county. The length of the line will be 17 miles. The officers of the new company are: President, George J. Wolf; directors, George J. Wolf, James George, Harry A. Jackson, Melvin G. Raub, Charles W. Dennis and Anthony G. McComb, all of this city.—*Era.*

John Steele or "Coal Oil Johnny," as he was more generally known, is again causing some excitement. According to the New York *Sun* in one of his drinking bouts a large sum of money was paid him, and not liking to be bothered with the stuff he deposited the amount in one of the Philadelphia banks, but afterwards failed to remember where he had placed it. When his money was all gone, he moved to Lincoln, Neb., where he has lived in poverty ever since. Recently the directors of the above bank paid him $80,000 and Johnny having sowed his wild oats, will be able to take care of this fortunate windfall in his old age.

—John S. Apple has been making some improvements on the interior of his residence on King street. The other day a representative of the MINER called and was shown through the section where the alterations were being made. The room formerly used as a kitchen has been transformed into a very attractive dining room with oak wainscoating done off in panel form and the floor of birch and maple, one of the handsomest seen in this section. The border being perfectly matched with the light and dark woods, making it a combination that has a very pleasing effect. The kitchen is a very pleasant room just back of the dining room. When Mr. Apple has the improvements all completed he will certainly have one of the most conveniently arranged houses in this section. The work is being done by Contractor Button, of Coudersport, which is a guarantee that it is being well done.

Capt. W. H. Chapman Dead.

Capt. Chapman, one of Bradford's most respected citizens, died at his home on Kennedy street at 5 o'clock on Sunday morning from injuries received by being run over by a wagon on Main street, Buffalo, the 18th of last month. It was thought at the time that his injuries were not serious, but it proved otherwise.

The deceased was born at Cleveland, Ohio, Oct. 8, 1826, of English and French ancestry. His paternal grandfather served in the revolutionary war. His father was in the war of 1812 and was wounded at the battle of Lundy's Lane. Capt. Chapman was admitted to the bar at Columbus, Ohio, in February, 1853. In July, 1861, he enlisted in the Second Ohio Light Artillery, and was elected to a first lieutenancy. Afterwards he was commissioned captain. He was wounded at the battle of Pea Ridge, which incapacitated him from further service and caused him to resign and return home. When recovered he took up the practice of law. In 1877 he located at Bradford, where he soon established a good law practice. He was married to Miss Cynthia Olds, of Conneaut, Ohio, in 1847. Mrs. Chapman and five children—three sons and two daughters—mourn his loss.

Capt. Chapman was formerly a Whig, but finally became a staunch Republican and was a strong advocate of temperance. He was a member of the Masonic fraternity, both blue lodge and chapter. Thus has another good man been called to that better land by the [illegible]. Only for this accident the Captain might have lived many years and been a comfort to his family and enjoyed the new home he had worked so diligently to finish during the past year. The earnest sympathy of the MINER is extended to the bereaved family in this their hour of affliction. The funeral was held Tuesday morning, after which the remains were taken to Conneaut, Ohio, for interment.

Attention G. A. R.

HEADQUARTERS McKEAN POST, No. 347,
DEPT. OF PENN'A G. A. R.
SMETHPORT, PA., Oct. 30, 1895.

COMRADES:—You are requested to attend the next regular meeting of McKean Post to be held Thursday, Nov. 7, 1895, as there will be an election of a commander to fill vacancy and other important business to be transacted at that time.

By order of Post

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OLE BULL'S CHRISTMAS.

(My Landlord's Prairie Story.)

BY WALLACE BRUCE.

Move along a trifle, stranger, just a little; don't you see
On the floor that hieroglyphic, something like a letter "B"
Right there, close to where you're standing, sort of sacred spot we keep,
And we always touch it gently when we scrub up once a week.
Recent? Yes, some time last August, but I put it in to stay,
And the yellow pine will hold it after we are laid away.
No one sets his chair upon it or he's straightway told to move;
For the boys, you see, won't stand it! that's a plank the neighbors love.

"Somewhat of a Poet's Corner," once a high-toned traveller said,
They corrected him politely as they showed him up to bed.
He explained about an Abbey, I don't quite recall the name,
With a chapel full of dead folks that had found their way to fame.
But, they said, this is no graveyard, here's the spot where Ole stood,
When he told his Christmas story right before the blazing wood.
Never heard him? Never saw him? stranger, you don't mean to say
That you never heard the master, Ole Bull, the fiddler, play?

Talk of classic art in music! What was that to Ole Bull,
When his blood with life was tingling and his eyes were brimming full?
I have thought his heart in rapture beat its pulses all the way
Through the bit of seasoned timber that against his bosom lay,
Till the fiddle seemed a fixture, part and parcel of the man,
And the trembling strings a network over which his feelings ran.
He would shake your sides with laughter, make you weep as by a touch,
And between the bits of music he could talk just like a book.
Fluent speakers! We have had 'em, noted men from foreign parts,
But, for eloquence, I tell you, Ole held the ace of hearts.
He was not the man to filter idle jests through wabblin' lips,
Born somehow to talk all over from his toes to fingertips;
Just a sort of natural battery filled the room with life and joy,
Beaming face, with locks of silver, bright and chipper as a boy.
He would sit there of an evening, reeling off the slickest thread,
And the hoss-hand wasn't heeded or the horses in the shed.
"Let 'em whinner" said the deacon, "they can stand it once a year,
And our wives—they don't expect us, when they know that Ole's here."
We were all a bit Norwegian, and he seemed to feel at home,
Said no hearth shone bright as this one from Christiania down to Rome.
He would tell us his adventures in those cities old and gray,
How he struggled, toiled, and suffered when he first began to play,
Of his failures and successes, praise and honour won at last
From musician, prince, and peasant, wheresoe'er his lot was cast.
But of all his greatest triumphs he regarded this the best,
How he won a gray haired hermit on the prairies of the west.

It was on a Christmas evening, well-nigh fifty years ago.
None who heard him can forget it, lost in sleet and blinding snow,
Fifteen miles from any farmhouse, twenty from the nearest town,
Ole Bull had missed the guideboard, for the storm had hurled it down.
Stumbling, floundering in the snowdrifts, onward pressed his noble gray,
Led by instinct and devotion, Ole let him have his way.
Many a trial they'd tried together but he deem this trip the last,
Horse and rider both must perish in that wild and howling blast.
Hope had died and life was ebbing, when, from out the cruel night,
Far across the fenceless prairie faintly shone a twinkling light.

Many a time I've heard him tell it, as he let his fancy play
Till you heard the storm about you, saw the distant flickering ray,
Felt your nerves and hair a-tingling, all attuned to passion's key,
There it glimmers like a lighthouse just above the blinding sea.
Faintly now—O bitter darkness! idle vision of the brain—
Joy! Behold the ruddy firelight streaming through the window pane.
Steady, one more drift, my bonnie! bravely done, all danger past!
What! No word or sign of welcome! Tried the door—and found it fast.
Near at hand a ruined shelter, remnant of a cattle-shed,
Safe within, the grey was grateful, pawing gently to be fed.
Soon a lantern, then a shadow, and within the creaking door
Stood a being such as mortal never saw on earth before.
Fierce his bitter imprecation—"Get you out, whoe'er you be!
I have sealed an oath in heaven never human face to see,
Heart and soul to hate abandoned, love by cruel fortune wronged.
I've renounced for years, forever, all that to my life belonged.
Take your way! Begone! Ay, perish in yon wild demoniac yeast,
For the wrongs that I have suffered I will have revenge at least."
"Fiend or madman!" Ole answered, seized his shoulder in a trice,
Led him straight into the cabin, for his grip was like a vice,
"I am here to stay till daylight, asking neither good nor grace;
Sit you there within the shadow, and I charge you keep your place."
Hour by hour went by in silence, till the hermit, crooning low,
Took a fiddle from his cupboard, woke the airs of long ago.
Ole wondering looked and listened, though his touch showed little art,
He could feel the deeper music sweetly welling from the heart.
All perhaps to him remaining of a brighter, happier morn,
Ere his heart became a desert, and his curse was yet unborn,
Long he swayed his old-time music, as unconscious of his guest,
Then with cold and feigned politeness turned and spoke in bitter jest,
In a tone of well-bred irony, telling of a better day
"Will the stranger, who is with us, lay aside his cloak and play?"
Ole rose and took the fiddle and he never felt before
All the conscious power within him as upon that cabin floor
Saw in vision panoramic circling galleries of acclaim,
With the flush of joy ecstatic and with beauty's light aflame,
Felt the glowing tide of transport swelling from a thousand hearts,
And the thrill of deep emotion when the tear in rapture starts
Ah, but that was gilded pageant, this was more than stately dome,
To a lonely heart in exile he is playing "Home, Sweet Home."
Nearer still and ever nearer, all entranced, the listener drew,
Gazed with open eyes of wonder through his lashes wet with dew,
Thought his midnight guest an angel come unto him unawares,
As the music softly stealing brought again his mother's prayers,
Long-pent tears, their barriers bursting, coursed his care-worn furrows free,
In that far-off storm-swept prairie, where God's eye alone might see
Desolate his heart and harder than the rock by Judah's lord,
Smote by Ole's rod of magic, woke like Meribah of old
Miracle of love eternal! Ever still life's mystic bowl,
Touched by human kindness, bubbles in the desert of the soul!
Then, ere morning dawned, like brothers he and Ole, side by side
Shared the narrow cot between them, made by faith and friendship wide.
"Saved, ay, saved!" the hermit murmured, "I have found my life again!
Learned a truer deeper meaning in the words, my brother men."
Then they took their way together when the storm was overpast,
In the crowded city parted, journeying on to meet—at last.

This was Ole's favourite story, which we always liked to hear
As he stood before the fireplace, so the spot you see is dear
And at evening in the winter, when I hear the village bell,
Ole's music floats about me, all the room seems in a spell
And again I hear him saying "That one hermit to enthrall
Stands among my proudest triumphs, sweetest, greatest of them all."

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, } ss.
Lucas County. }

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, county and state aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of one hundred dollars for each and every case of catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D., 1886.

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List of Letters

remaining in the postoffice at Smethport, Pa., for the week ending Oct. 26, 1895.

Edwards, J. L.; McDermid, Mrs. Eva; McCawen, Rob't

Persons calling for these letters please say "advertised."

W. P. WALSH, Postmaster.

Horses for Sale

15 head. Workers, general purpose and driving horses. Some good bargains. 1895 prices. A. T. PALMER.

Smethport, Oct. 25th, 1895. 43-3t.

A. G. Bartley, of Magic, Pa., writes: I feel it a duty of mine to inform you and the public that DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cured me of a very bad case of eczema. It also cured my boy of a running sore on his leg. A. W. Colegrove.

SOCIETY AND PERSONAL NOTES.

We would deem it a favor if those having friends visiting in this place would notify us by postal or by leaving a notice at this office.

Horace Morton went to Mina on Tuesday.

H. S. Rogers, of Mt. Jewett, Sundayed in town.

Judge Henry Hamlin visited Coudersport Wednesday.

Emil Thamm had business in Clermont on Tuesday.

David Howells, of Kane, was in town Thursday.

Att'y F. E. Baldwin, of Austin, was in town on Sunday.

J. M. McElroy visited friends in Oil City over Sunday.

The genial Hugh Boyd, of Clermont, was down Wednesday.

J. G. Williams, of Ormsby, visited in town over Sunday.

H. Cleveland, of Farmers Valley, was a pleasant caller Friday.

Miss Madge Rifle visited Olean the latter part of last week.

F. L. Olds, of Crosby, was a pleasant caller yesterday.

G. W. Mitchell Sundayed in Bolivar, N. Y., visiting his father.

J. F. Keating, of Clermont, was down Tuesday afternoon.

J. C. Breneman and John Rooney were in Bradford Sunday.

Cap't B. S. Mayo, of Staten Island, visited his brother this week.

Mrs. Frank Foster and little daughter were in Olean over Sunday.

W. C. Henry, of Bradford, was a guest at the Grand Central on Monday.

Ex Commissioner James Riggins, of Eldred, was at the hub Thursday.

Miss Nellie Healey, of Bradford, is a guest of L. K. Hogarth and wife.

C. A. Backer went to Boston Wednesday to attend the funeral of his father.

W. R. Ford, of Big Shanty, came over Monday to swap yarns with firemen.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Nash visited Port Allegany friends Wednesday afternoon.

The Rev. Harris Peck, of Bradford, was a pleasant caller last Saturday at this office.

I. W. Mason and Dr. Burg Chadwick made a hurried visit to Buffalo last week.

Chas. Olmstead returned on Saturday night from a three weeks visit in Brockwayville.

F. B. Dolly, C. W. Catlin and M. T. Shultz, all of Port Allegany, were over Tuesday.

Mrs. Sheridan Gorton and Mrs. Brasted returned Tuesday after a week's sojourn in Buffalo.

Mrs. Ada Cable and her son, Gustine, will join the Press excursion to Atlanta on Nov. 11th.

Miss Ida Goldring, sister of Mrs. A. J. Warshofsky, returned to her home in Rochester last Friday.

Mrs. E. V. Lewis and son, Herbert, of Rochester, are visiting Mrs. Lewis' parents, B. L. Knapp and wife.

Supervisor Stranahan was a pleasant caller Tuesday afternoon and informed us that he had finished the road work in Keating township.

Mrs. Hawkins of New York, and C. W. Young and wife, of Baltimore, and Miss Maggie Young, of Kane, are the guests of J. J. Young Sunday last.

Dr. Evan O'Neil Kane and two friends, a lady and gentleman, wheeled over from Kane last Saturday, returning on the evening train. They claimed to have had a most enjoyable time.

J. J. Neems, who has been connected with Ford's clothing store for the past four years has resigned his position and accepted a more prominent one with Coast & Wood, the Tower Clothiers at Olean.

J. C. Gallup has been over acting as one of the viewers on the line dividing the township of Annin and Liberty. The new line as established will place five settlers of Annin in Liberty townships.

The many friends of Dr. F. G. Brown will be glad to learn that he has bought an elegant residence in the heart of the city of Buffalo. He occupies several rooms himself and John Sprague and wife, of Smethport, occupies the remainder of the house. Dr. Brown will no doubt spend the remainder of his life in that city, having settled there.

Frank Wagner, manager of the opera house, is an observant young man and a close student of human nature. He has sold theatre tickets for many years and has become so proficient in the business, that he never finds it necessary to ask a man what priced ticket he wants. A glance at the purchaser's expression and general make up suffice to tell him whether the man wants a parquet ticket or whether he is looking for transportation to the gallery.—*Era.*

An Act

Creating and defining the offense of disorderly conduct by persons on the public highways, roads, streets, lanes, alleys, parks, squares or commons of the Commonwealth, or near thereto, and fixing penalties for committing such offense.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That from and after the passage of this act if any person or persons shall wilfully make or cause to be made any loud, boisterous and unseemly noise or disturbance to the annoyance of the peaceable residents near by, or shall thereby cause the assemblage of persons upon or near to any public highway, road, street, lane, alley, park, square or common within this Commonwealth whereby the public peace is broken and disturbed or the traveling public annoyed he, she or they shall be guilty of the offense of disorderly conduct and upon conviction thereof before any justice of the peace, alderman, mayor or burgess shall be sentenced to pay the costs of prosecution and to forfeit and pay a fine not exceeding ten dollars, and in default of the payment thereof shall be committed to and imprisoned in the county jail of the proper county for a period not exceeding thirty days.

Approved—The 25th day of June, A. D., 1895.

DANIEL H. HASTINGS.

The above act is the one under which Wm. McGraw got his sentence. It has not been in force very long and consequently is not very well known to the majority of the people. Read it over carefully and then you will be able to warn others of the consequences of such an offense. Mr. Knapp is probably the first justice in the State who has made use of this act.

Death of L. J. Backer

Last Wednesday morning C. A. Backer received a dispatch from Bartlett, N. H., that his father, L. J. Backer had died there during the night, but did not state the cause. Mr. Backer had been a sufferer for sometime although he was able to attend to business. A couple of months ago he had a serious attack of illness at Bradford. Mr. Backer was born in Tioga county, Pa., in 1836 and was 59 years of age at the time of his death. For a number of years he was employed in the same county in the production of hemlock extract. In 1877 he started the Extract works at East Smethport, which eventually increased in size until they were the largest works of that kind in the country. He leaves a wife, son (Clarence A.) and two daughters to mourn his loss.

Mr. Backer was a man highly esteemed in this community and his sudden death will be deeply regretted. He was a man of sterling integrity and fine business principles, which, added to a genial disposition, made him warm friends wherever he went. The MINER extends sympathy to the bereaved family.

When the Chill Mists of the Morning

Hang like a pall over the surface of the earth, it will be well for you before venturing into the raw vaporous air charged perhaps with the seeds of malaria or provocative of rheumatic twinges, to take a wineglassful of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters and thus shield yourself from atmospheric influences threatening to health. If you happen to get snowed, sleeted or rained upon, use the same preventive, and avoid the rheumatism or a dangerous cold. The agreeable warmth infused into the circulation by this genial stomachic, its invigorating and regulating properties commend it to all appreciative of the fact that prevention is better than cure. Use the Bitters for dyspepsia, biliousness, nervousness and kidney trouble, sick headache and debility.

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in prices on Dress Goods.

25 pieces all wool Serges and Henriettas, 25c a yd.
25 pieces Double Fold Dress Flannel, all colors, 25c yd.
15 pieces Silk Mixture Novelties, 25c a yd.
One dollar Serges at 75c.
75c Serges at 50c a yard.

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AROUND THE COUNTY.

Interesting News From Various Localities Picked up by Our Regular Correspondents.

CLERMONT

This town is well supplied with engineers now days, all busily engaged surveying railroads. If they run all these roads into Clermont there will be more houses to move.

There is talk of having another new hotel in town in the near future.

Nearly every vacant lot in town is now spoken for. New buildings will be erected on them in the spring.

By the looks now the building boom will keep up all winter. Carpenters will also have a great harvest here next summer.

The Buffalo & St. Marys Railroad Co. have about completed the rock cut and have commenced to grade through town. They have made good use of the fine weather of late.

Messrs. Butts & Keating have no trouble in hiring all the miners they want these days, as they are coming from the districts—where the men on a strike.

We heard a resident of this town make the following remark the other day: "I like the McKEAN MINER ever so much better since they have the Clermont news in it. I would just like to know who he is, he is a pretty good writer anyhow whoever he is." In reply we wish to thank you ever so much for the compliment but decline to expose our identity until later on.

John H. Desmond, of Straight, came up on Saturday and spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Wilson, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. F. Keating.

J. H. Loyer, of Keating township, was seen on our streets one day last week.

Mrs. Josephine Me[illegible] was called to Olean on important business one day last week.

F. H. Thamm, of Smethport, had business in town one Tuesday.

[illegible] is a good detective at present.

ANNIN CREEK

Oh see, out of the [illegible] we see the farmers of this vicinity are obliged to take their grain to Portville where there is a steam grist mill, to get it ground.

F. G. Tait took his mother Mrs. S. M. Tubbs, to Allegany last week where she will spend the winter with her daughter Mrs. Minerva Horton of that place.

It looks discouraging to see cold weather coming on while the springs are so low. Should winter set in without any rain water would be a scarce article with some in this vicinity.

Mrs. Briggs went to her home near Duke Centre last Saturday.

Arch Holcomb, of Portville, who was visiting in this place recently, has gone to Franklinville to attend school the coming winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Kinney and daughters, Vinnie and Jessie and Ira Kinney and wife, all of Steuben Co., N. Y., have been visiting in this place.

Miss Re Winship is in Shingle House visiting her grandmother Mrs. Emaline Knapp.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Cooper were over on Sartwell Creek Sunday the guests of Mrs. Purdy, who recently moved from Portage Creek to that place.

Geo. Crandall of Rixford, and his brother E[illegible] of Turtle Point, were in this place Sunday.

A. J. Davis of Bolivar was the guest of J. S. Hodges and family Friday night.

Rev. Langmade held services in Clarksville Sunday.

Harry Evans had business in Olean one day last week.

What was supposed to be an eagle has been seen in this vicinity. It was seen by C. H. Besse last Sunday who says it is black and as large as a good-sized turkey. When he first saw it it was sitting on the ground, eating what proved to be a woodchuck which it had caught and killed. Mr. Besse is a reliable man.

NORWICH

Forest fires are raging in this vicinity.

Wonder if Burdette and Earl got wet Sunday evening? Earl seemed contented in his red coat.

James Hayes, of Accident, Md., is visiting here.

W. W. Brewer of Mt. Jewett, visited his father A. P. Brewer, last week.

Miss Ida Matteson of Emporium was the guest of her brother, T. M. Matteson, the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hilliard were at Clermont last Friday.

Mrs. T. M. Mattison is visiting relatives in Cameron Co. this week.

Rev. Feathers of Roulette and E. S. Remington of Colegrove, exchanged pulpits last Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Burdick of Smethport, accompanied by Miss Lena Dickinson, visited relatives here last Sunday.

To the Republican Voters of McKean Co.

Your committee to which was delegated the labor of submitting the question of changing the rules governing the method of selecting candidates for the several county and district offices to be voted for in the future beg to report that they have [illegible] the matter fairly before the Republican voters of the county. The election for this purpose will be held in the several precincts of the county Nov. 5th at such places as shall be designated by the committeemen of the several precincts. [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

We are very respectfully and obediently yours

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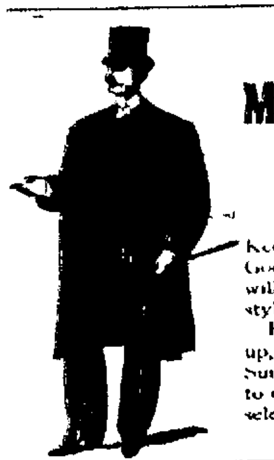

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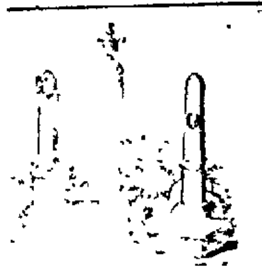

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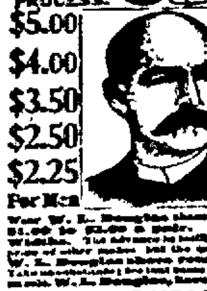

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One person for State Treasurer.

Seven persons for Judges of the Superior Court, but no elector will vote for but six persons.

One person for County Treasurer.

I also make known and give notice that [illegible] the form in which they appear upon the ballots, namely:

A cross (X) marked in the square at the right of the name of each candidate, inside the line enclosing the column, indicates a vote for each candidate thus marked. If a cross (X) be marked within the circle it will be equivalent to a mark opposite every name in the column. Those who do not desire to vote a straight ticket must not mark a cross within the circle at the head of column.

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REPUBLICAN.	**DEMOCRATIC.**	**PROHIBITION.**	**PEOPLE'S.**	**SOCIALIST LABOR.**	This column is for the use of voters desiring to vote for candidates other than those whose names appear printed on this ballot
STATE TREASURER. (Mark one)	**STATE TREASURER** (Mark one)	**STATE TREASURER.** (Mark one)	**STATE TREASURER.** (Mark one)	**STATE TREASURER.** (Mark one)	**STATE TREASURER.** (Insert one.)
Benjamin J. Haywood ☐	Benjamin F. Meyers ☐	William H. Berry ☐	G. W. Dawson ☐	George Anton ☐	
Judges of the Superior Court. (Mark six)	**Judges of the Superior Court.** (Mark six)	**Judges of the Superior Court.** (Mark six)	**Judges of the Superior Court.** (Mark six)		**Judges of the Superior Court.** (Insert six)
James A. Beaver ☐	Harman Yerkes ☐	Edward Campbell ☐	John H. Stevenson ☐		
Edward N. Willard ☐	James S. Moorhead ☐	Willis W. [illegible] ☐	[illegible] Coughlin ☐		
John J. Wickham ☐	Charles Henry Noyes ☐	[illegible] ☐	William C. Rheem ☐		
Charles E. Rice ☐	Peter P. Smith ☐	[illegible] ☐	☐		
Howard J. Reeder ☐	Oliver P. Bechtel ☐	[illegible] ☐	☐		
George B. Orlady ☐	Christopher Magee ☐	[illegible] ☐	☐		
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Thomas B. Clark ☐	John H. Tate ☐	Edward E. [illegible] ☐	Samuel L. Rhodes ☐		

I also hereby make known and give notice that the place of holding the aforesaid general election in the several wards, boroughs and townships within the county of McKean are as follows, to-wit:

The township of Annin at the building known as Simpson's store at Turtle Point.

BRADFORD CITY.

First ward First district—At Armory Hall, Corydon street.

First ward Second district—[illegible] Lane's building on Boylston street near Pine.

Second ward First district—At the Universalist church, Corydon street.

Second ward Second district—At Edgett's barn.

Third ward—At No. 120 Washington street.

Fourth ward—At Orpheus Hall, Boylston street.

Fifth ward—Robert's tank shop on Main street near bridge.

Sixth ward—At the building known as the Farmer's Hotel on Main street in said ward.

BRADFORD TOWNSHIP.

First district—At Bowen's Hall, Custer City.

Second district—At the Clark school house in said district.

The township of Ceres at the Ceres village school house.

CORYDON TOWNSHIP.

First district—At the house of L. D. Tome on Willow Creek.

Second district—At a building near the school house known as [illegible] school house in Warren [illegible] leading up Sugar creek to Marshburg [illegible] the residence of E. N. Holmes.

The borough of Eldred [illegible]

The township of Eldred at [illegible] building on the Barden Brook road.

FOSTER TOWNSHIP.

First district—The [illegible] floor of the A. O. U. W. hall at Derrick City in said district.

[illegible]

HAMLIN TOWNSHIP.

First district—[illegible]

Second district—[illegible]

HAMILTON TOWNSHIP.

[illegible]

KEATING TOWNSHIP.

First district—On first floor of a building [illegible] Western New York & Pennsylvania Railroad Company's station at East Smethport, Pa.

Second district—At the Knights of Labor hall [illegible]

Third district—At A. Barnhart's building Davis.

KANE BOROUGH.

First ward—At Hotel LaMont, West side of Fraley street.

Second ward—At City Hall, corner of Chase and Bayard street.

Third ward—At the sample room Thompson House.

LAFAYETTE TOWNSHIP.

First district—In the south room on the first floor of the Odd Fellows building at Mt. Alton in said district.

Second district—At the village of Big Shanty in the basement of the building known as [illegible] Hall in this district.

Third district—At the town hall at Lafayette Corners.

The township of Liberty in a building to be prepared near the grocery store of E. Dudley at a point on the Smethport road about 50 rods Northwest from the bridge crossing the river from the borough of Port Allegany.

The borough of Port Allegany, Second story of public building.

NORWICH TOWNSHIP.

First district—At O. D. Gallup's old store.

Second district—At a building to be erected by the Commissioners at Gardeau.

OTTO TOWNSHIP.

First district—In the building known as "Union Hall" in the village of Duke Centre in said township.

Second district—At A. O. U. W. Hall Rixford.

The township of Sergeant at hall of Bayer & Boyd.

The borough of Smethport in Southeast corner of basement of Court House.

WETMORE TOWNSHIP.

First district—At the cheese factory, East Kane.

Second district—In Orr's building on West Kane road.

Polls to be open at 7 o'clock a. m. and to be closed at 7 o'clock p. m.

I also make known and give notice that every person, excepting justices of the peace who shall hold any office or appointment of profit or trust under the Government of the United States or of this State or of any city or incorporated district whether a commissioned officer or otherwise, a subordinate officer or agent, who is or shall be employed under the Legislature, Executive or Judiciary department of this State or of the United States or of any city or incorporated district, and also that every member of Congress, and of the State Legislature and of the Select or Common Council of any city or Commissioners of any incorporated district is, by law incapable of holding or exercising at the same time the office or appointment of Judge Inspector or Clerk of any election of this Commonwealth, and that no Inspector, Judge or other officer of any such election shall be eligible to any office to be then voted for, except that of an election officer.

Given under my hand this 25th day of October, A. D. 1895.

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Don't fail to vote.

Don't fail to vote this year.

EVERY Republican should do his duty this year.

Don't fail to vote this year.

OVER confidence is a political vice. See that it does not reduce the Republican majority in Pennsylvania this year.

Don't fail to vote this year.

This should not be an off year for voters of Pennsylvania that have any interest in their own welfare. They should remember that the [illegible] will be the [illegible] comforts.

Don't fail to vote this year.

A HEAVY REDUCTION IN THE REPUBLICAN MAJORITY IN PENNSYLVANIA FOLLOWING THE [illegible] RESULT IN [illegible] WOULD BE HERALDED BROADCAST AS AN EVIDENCE OF REPUBLICAN WEAKNESS AND DISINTEGRATION.

Don't fail to vote this year.

Balance Their Books.

The fact was that during that trying season when nearly all the manufacturing industries in this country were at a standstill the keenest sufferers were the middle classes. For the first time in their lives they were brought face to face with starvation. Why? Because there was no employment for their hands. Business was dead. And that we believe was since the beginning of the Cleveland administration.

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Don't fail to vote this year.

THE STAY AT HOME VOTE IS SUFFICIENT TO DESTROY ANY PARTY. IF EVERY REPUBLICAN DEPENDED UPON HIS NEIGHBOR TO ELECT THE TICKET THE DEMOCRACY WOULD CARRY THE STATE.

Don't fail to vote this year.

THE SAME ISSUE CONFRONTS THE WORKINGMEN OF PENNSYLVANIA. THEY UNDERSTAND THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN PROTECTION AND FREE TRADE THOROUGHLY. GO OUT ON NOVEMBER FIFTH AND CAST A VOTE FOR YOUR HOME AND FIRESIDE.

Don't fail to vote this year.

WE ARE ON THE EVE OF A GREAT PRESIDENTIAL CAMPAIGN. A ROUSING MAJORITY IN PENNSYLVANIA THIS YEAR WILL STIMULATE REPUBLICANS TO RENEWED EXERTION IN EVERY ONE OF THE CLOSE AND DOUBTFUL STATES.

Don't fail to vote this year.

A VOTE IS WORTH ANY AMOUNT OF TALK. SAY NOTHING BUT GO TO THE POLLS AND VOTE THE REPUBLICAN TICKET ON THE FIFTH OF NOVEMBER.

Don't fail to vote this year.

THE VICTORY IN PENNSYLVANIA THIS YEAR WILL BE A VICTORY FOR COURAGE AND REFORM. VOTE AND THUS BE A PARTY TO THIS GOOD WORK.

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James L. Francis, Alderman, Chicago says: "I regard Dr. King's New Discovery as an Ideal Panacea for Coughs Colds and Lung Complaints, having used it in my family for the last five years, to the exclusion of physician's prescriptions or other preparations."

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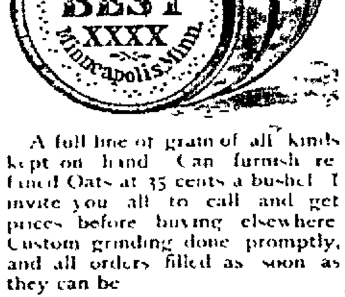

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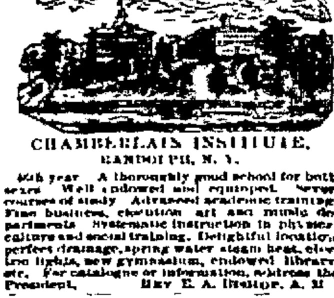

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CLARKSON'S PLAIN TALK
An Emphatic Warning to the Republicans of Pennsylvania.

[Special Correspondence.]

WASHINGTON, Oct. 23.—That the coming election in Pennsylvania is a matter of national importance is evidenced by the interest displayed in the result here. It is generally conceded that Pennsylvania leads the Republican column, and any default in the matter of majority this year will have a disheartening effect upon the country at large. General J. S. Clarkson, of Iowa, ex-chairman of the national Republican committee, is one of the prominent leaders who have been watching Pennsylvania. General Clarkson said today: "I have been looking on Pennsylvania with a great deal of interest, and it is my earnest hope that the full Republican vote be polled and the majority be so overwhelming as to dishearten the Democracy and put renewed hope in the bosoms of Republicans in every section of the country. I know whereof I speak when I say that the eyes of the Republicans everywhere are centered upon the Keystone state at the present time. This may sound curious, but it is a fact. Of course the Republican ticket in Pennsylvania is certain to be elected by a good majority, but it is the hope of the Democratic managers that the splendid majorities which have been given in that state will be materially reduced this time. If this be so they will point to it as an evidence of Republican weakness in the very citadel of Republicanism.

DUE TO THE PARTY.

"It is due to the party at large that the majority should be kept up to the standard. Besides this it should be a matter of pride not to permit it to go down. The phenomenal majorities you have been giving are unfortunate in some respects. They produce a condition of apathy and indifference that is sometimes fatal to the party's success. Any fall back in the majorities would be eagerly seized and commented upon by the enemy. There is nothing worse in politics than over confidence, and from what I hear there is a condition of apathy among some of the voters that is to be regretted. They take it for granted that the ticket is safe and does not need their votes. Nothing could be more untrue or more unfortunate than this view of the situation. The Republican party needs every vote it can get, and never more than at this particular time, when we are just upon the eve of a great national campaign. It is necessary to emphasize the general disgust with Democratic policy, Democratic doctrines and Democratic government. To do this, it is important that an overwhelming Republican majority should be piled up in Pennsylvania this year.

"The accidental Democratic victory in Indianapolis the other day is an apt illustration of the point I am trying to make. We all know, or most of us know, that that victory was due to local causes, and that party politics was not involved. Nevertheless, the result there has done more to encourage the Democrats than anything that has happened in the last twelve months. It will give renewed hope to Tammany Hall, it will stiffen up Campbell's campaign in Ohio, it will brighten up the hearts of the Democrats of New Jersey, and put new energy in the Democratic party everywhere. Besides this, it has a disheartening effect upon the Republicans in the close and doubtful states.

DON'T ENCOURAGE DEMOCRACY.

"For this reason it is more than desirable that Pennsylvania should come up to its old standard and set the pace for all the other states. Pennsylvania, as I have said, is a citadel of Republicanism and the place where the benefits of the protective policy are most conspicuously seen. Any sign of weakness in the Keystone state would encourage the Democracy to put their best foot forward in the presidential fight of 1896. The family quarrel you have had in Pennsylvania ought to help the party. It has developed fighters on both sides, and all hands should now unite in working for the common cause. You have a splendid leader in Senator Quay, and from what I can learn are also fortunate enough to possess a first class organization. Don't make the mistake of thinking that national issues are not at stake. I am sure that all Republicans hope you will win a great victory and strike terror into the hearts of the Democratic party. You owe this to your weaker brethren in less favored localities. It used to be said, as Pennsylvania goes so goes the nation. Let that be the cry now. Get out every vote. Let there be a magnificent triumph in 1895, and next year the Republicans from Maine to California can march to the music of Republican success and Republican [illegible]."

Many cases of so called heart disease, are only cases of acid fermentation in the stomach. The irritation from the acid hinders the action of the heart, through the pneumogastric nerve, and very often the excessive restraining power of this peculiarly acting nerve, becomes a very serious matter; the heart makes the greatest effort to do its work, but there is a shortness of breath which cannot be made up for, and the feeling throughout the chest is very distressing. Sometimes this acid arises and causes an acrid smarting in the throat; at other times the burning is up and down the chest.

Another stomach trouble is that form of dyspepsia which gives pain after eating. Persons with this disease seem to have but a scant measure of nerve strength; when food is being digested, the stomach needs the concentration of all of the nerve and brain force, and if reading or close thought is attempted soon after eating, the stomach commences that intolerable aching which dyspeptics dread so much, when, the only immediate relief appears to be to stop the mental activity and get up and move around. In such cases there is evidently for the time being, too little nerve power to divide between the stomach and the brain; each one alone needs it all to enable it to perform its labor.

There are two properties possessed by Dr. Day's Stomach and Nerve Tonic, which constitute it a cure for all of the above derangements. One, is its power of purifying and sweetening the stomach and stopping the formation of gas and acid, the other is the giving of increased nerve action and strength. Soon, with better digestion and better nutrition, there is a general renewal of life and health. The mind of a business man, under its use, soon become clearer and more active, thoughts come easier and are more clearly expressed, the memory is stronger, business plans and ventures are arranged in a better manner and are more patiently and successfully carried out, and details are attended to better because of the increased strength of both mind and muscle.

Women having the care of a household on their minds, find Dr. Day's Stomach and Nerve Tonic to be a great blessing; it gives better digestion, better nutrition, more strength, cures that feeling of weariness in the morning, that anxiety of mind, that fear that something is going wrong, or that something bad is going to happen; cures dizziness, shortness of breath, pressure through the chest; belching of wind, rumbling in the bowels, heartburn, and all forms of dyspepsia that come from weakness.

Mrs. Eben Pierce, of Borie, Potter Co., Pa., writes: "I can truthfully say that I owe my life to your stomach and nerve tonic; I was troubled with my stomach for over a year and tried everything I could hear of, but did not get any benefit. I was nearly in despair, for although I had only four in my family, I could not begin to do the work for them; an anxious friend wrote me to try Dr. Day's Stomach and Nerve Tonic, and I did; I did not expect to ever get any better, but was greatly relieved on taking the first dose and now after taking only one bottle of your remedy I can do my work and my stomach does not hurt me only when I do very heavy work; I shall continue its use until I am entirely cured, for I am perfectly satisfied that it will cure all such stomach trouble. I thank you dear Doctor, a thousand times over, for putting before the public such a wonderful remedy for human suffering."

Mrs. Albert Harman, of 2305 Fifth Ave., Altoona, Pa., writes, "Dr. Day's Stomach and Nerve Tonic has done me a power of good; that burning after meals has left me; I have always been so nervous that I would take nervous spells so bad sometimes that I would have to send for the doctor, but have not had one since I commenced using your stomach and nerve tonic."

H. C. Beatty, Berkeyville, Pa., says: "For years I had a severe pain in my stomach after meals; one bottle of Dr. Day's Stomach and Nerve Tonic cured me; I think permanently."

J. C. Fulton, of Burgettstown, Pa., writes, "I have been afflicted with the rheumatism and was laid up in bed a good part of the time; my stomach was in a bad condition and would not retain food. I began to use Dr. Day's Stomach and Nerve Tonic it not only helped my stomach but relieved me of the rheumatism and also increased my weight wonderfully."

TRAVELER'S GUIDE.

TIME TABLE — WESTERN NEW YORK & PENNSYLVANIA

In effect July 8, 1894.

Trains leave Smethport for Larrabee, Port Allegany, Eldred, Olean, Bradford, Rochester and Buffalo as follows:

BUFFALO EXPRESS, . . . 9.12 A. M.
BUFFALO MAIL . . . . . 2.21 P. M.

Train leaving Smethport at 2.21 p. m. connects at Olean with River Division for Allegany, Salamanca, Oil City and Pittsburg.

For Clermont, Johnsonburg and points south,

CLERMONT MAIL . . . . 7.12 A. M.
CLERMONT ACCOMMOD'N . . 12.30 P. M.
LOCAL . . . . 7.40 P. M.

Clermont Mail connects through to Johnsonburgh.

Get Time Tables giving full information from A. K. WORMER, Ticket Agent,

R. BELL, General Sup't,

J. A. FELLOWS, Gen. Pas'r. & Tkt. Agt., Buffalo, N. Y.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

PHILADELPHIA & ERIE DIVISION TIME TABLE. In effect May 13th, 1894.

TRAINS LEAVE EMPORIUM JUNCTION EASTWARD.

8:24 a. m.—Train 8, daily except Sunday, for Sunbury, Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 6:23 p. m., New York 9:23 p. m., Baltimore 6:15 p. m., Washington 7:30 p. m. Pullman Parlor car through from Williamsport and passenger coaches from Kane to Philadelphia.

3:00 p. m.—Train 6, daily except Sunday, for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 4:30 a. m., New York 7:33 a. m. Pullman sleeping cars from Harrisburg to Philadelphia and New York. Philadelphia passengers can remain in sleeper undisturbed until 7:00 a. m.

9:50 p. m.—Train 4, daily for Sunbury, Harrisburg and intermediate stations arriving at Philadelphia 6:52 a. m., New York 9:33 a. m., 10.25 a. m. Sundays. Baltimore 6:20 a. m. Washington 7:40 a. m. Pullman sleeping cars from Erie and Williamsport to Philadelphia and passenger cars from Erie to Philadelphia, and Williamsport to Baltimore. Passengers in sleeper for Baltimore and Washington will be transferred into Washington sleeper at Harrisburg.

WESTWARD.

5:05 a. m.—Train 1, daily except Sunday for Ridgway, DuBois Clermont and intermediate stations, leaves Ridgway 3:00 p. m. for Erie.

10:35 a. m.—Train 3, daily for Erie and intermediate stations.

7:08 p. m.—Train 11 daily except Sunday Kane and intermediate stations.

THROUGH TRAINS for EMPORIUM JUNCTION FROM THE EAST AND SOUTH.

Train 1 leaves Renovo 6.55 a. m., daily except Sunday, arriving at Emporium Jc. 7:50 a. m.

Train 11 leaves Philadelphia 8.50 a. m., Washington 7:50 a. m., Baltimore 8.53 a. m., Wilkesbarre 10.15 a. m., daily except Sunday, arriving at Emporium Junction 7:05 p. m. with Pullman Parlor car from Philadelphia to Williamsport and passenger coaches to Kane.

Train 3, leaves New York 8:00 p. m., Philadelphia 11:20 p. m., Washington 10:40 p. m. Baltimore 11.20 p. m., daily arriving at Emporium June. 10:25 a. m., with Pullman Palace sleeping cars from Philadelphia to Erie and from Washington and Baltimore to Williamsport and passenger coaches from Philadelphia to Erie.

JOHNSONBURG RAILROAD.

(Daily except Sunday).

NORTH a. m. Lv.	STATIONS.	SOUTH Ar. a. m.
9 30	Ridgway	12 00
9 44	Johnsonburg	11 44
10 02	Glen Hazel	11 28
10 13	Straight	11 15
10 18	Instanter	11 0[illegible]
10 25	Smith's Run	10 5[illegible]
10 32	Woodvale	10 46
10 40	Clermont	10 40

Connections are made with train 1, leaving Johnsonburg at 3:15 p. m. for Erie and intermediate points, arriving at Erie at 8:00 p. m., also at Ridgway with train 6, leaving Ridgway at 1.45 p. m. for Philadelphia, New York, Baltimore and Washington.

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THE SHORT LINE

On and after Nov. 25, 1894, passenger trains Between, Buffalo, Rochester, Salamanca, Bradford, Ridgway, DuBois, Punxsutawney and the Coal and Lumber Regions of Pennsylvania will leave Bradford and Mt. Jewett daily except Sunday, as follows.

LEAVE BRADFORD—EAST BOUND.

7.45 a. m.—Buffalo & Rochester Express—For Salamanca, Ellicottville, Springville, Colden, Buffalo, Machias, Gainesville, Silver Springs, Warsaw, LeRoy and Rochester.

2.00 p. m.—Mail—For Salamanca, Ellicottville, Springville, Colden, Buffalo, Machias, Gainesville, Silver Springs, Warsaw, LeRoy, and Rochester.

8.10 p. m.—Buffalo Express—Daily. For Limestone, Carrollton, Salamanca, Ellicottville, Springville, Colden and Buffalo.

LEAVE MT. JEWETT—SOUTH-BOUND.

8.02 a. m.—Accommodation—For Johnsonburg, Ridgway, Brockwayville, DuBois and Punxsutawney.

2.17 p. m.—Mail—For Johnsonburg, Ridgway, Brockwayville, DuBois and Punxsutawney.

Thousand Mile Tickets, good for passage between all stations, at two cents per mile.

Passengers are requested to purchase tickets before entering the cars. An excess charge of TEN CENTS will be collected by Conductors when fares are paid on trains, from all stations where a Ticket Office is maintained.

For time tables and full information call on or address any of the Company's agents, or—

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BUFFALO & SUSQUEHANNA R. R.

TIME TABLE.

Took effect Monday, July 8th, 1895.

1 am	3 pm	5 pm	STATIONS. Ar. Dp.	2 am	4 pm	6 pm
8:20	2:20	7:35	Keating	9 15	[illegible]	7 35
8:35	2:32	7:16	Cowley Junc.	9 35	[illegible]	7 45
8:20	1 45	6 55	Austin	10 20	3 11	8 20
—	1 37	6 45	Costello	10 25	3 30	—
—	12 4[illegible]	6 30	Wharton	10 45	[illegible]	—
—	12 30	6 18	Logue	11 05	[illegible]	—
—	12 1[illegible]	6 00	Hull	11 25	[illegible]	—
—	11 48	5 35	Cross Fork Jc	11 45	4 31	—
—	11 32	4 45	Germania	1 10	5 04	—
—	10 40	4 30	Galeton	1 45	[illegible]	—
—	10 2[illegible]	4 [illegible]	Gaines	1 [illegible]	[illegible]	—
—	9 50	3 55	Ansonia	2 5	[illegible]	—
	a m	p m	Dp. Ar	p m	p m	
—	p m	a m	Cross Fork Br.	p m	a m	
—	2 10	4 30	ar Cr F'k Jc dp	12 15	9 30	3 46
—	6 30	3 30	dp Cross F'k ar	1 15	10 30	4 20

H. Hutchinson, Train Master. C. W. Goodyear, Gen'l Manager.

COUDERSPORT & PORT ALLEGANY Railroad Time Table; takes effect Monday, Mch 11, 1895.

A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	STATIONS.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
10.35	7.30	12.55	Coudersport	8.30	1.30	5.20
10.33	7.26	12.53	Pine Creek Jc	8.32	1.32	5.22
10.21	7.37	12.51	Hammond	8.34	1.34	5.24
10.47	7.34	12.48	Fish Basket	8.37	1.37	5.27
10.44	7.30	12.46	Olmsted	8.40	1.42	5.32
10.38	7.45	12.41	Mina	8.44	1.47	5.37
10.32	7.42	12.34	Knowlton	8.50	1.52	5.45
10.27	7.41	12.30	Roulette	8.55	1.59	5.56
10.14	7.31	12.21	Burtville	9.07	2.06	6.02
10.08	7.26	12.15	Coleman	9.09	2.14	6.01
10.00	7.20	12.10	Port Allegany	9.15	2.25	6.15

An additional train leaves Port Allegany at 3.10 p. m. for Coudersport.

PINE CREEK DIVISION.

1.00 p m	Coudersport	p m 2.48
1.05	Pine Creek Junction	2.45
1.00	Fair Grounds	[illegible]
1.15	Ladona	[illegible]
1.30	Sweden Valley	2.30

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B. A. McCLURE, Sup't.

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TIME TABLE IN EFFECT DEC. 16, 1894.

WESTWARD. p.m.	a.m.	STATIONS.	EASTWARD. a.m.	p.m.
7 40	9 55	ar. Bradford lv	7 30	5 00
7 24	9 39	Tarport Hill	7 45	5 15
7 00	9 15	Kinzua Junct'n	8 10	5 40
4 47	8 57	McCalmont	8 30	5 56
4 40	8 50	New City	8 39	6 03
4 15	8 40	Harford	8 45	6 11
6 32	9 07	Aiken	8 12	5 52
6 43	9 00	Davis	8 19	6 10
6 26	8 53	Simpson	8 26	6 17
6 27	8 51	McKeans	8 34	6 19
6 20	8 45	Ormsby	8 40	6 25
5 40	8 05	Smethport	9 20	7 00
p.m.	a.m.	(P. & W. Ry)	a.m.	p.m.
5 55	8 00	ar. Ormsby Junct'n lv	8 50	6 30
5 45	7 30	Mt. Jewett	9 30	7 00
5 10	6 50	Kane	10 15	7 30
4 22		Spring Creek	11 00	p.m.
4 11		Sheffield Junct'n	11 40	
3 20		Marienville	12 35	
2 33		Tylersburg	1 25	
1 00		Clarion	2 30	
11 15		Foxburg	3 45	
10 00		Butler	4 55	
9 20		Allegheny	6 15	
a.m.	lv		ar p.m.	

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